

Remarks

Claims 1-16 are pending in this application. Applicant has amended the claims to delete multiple dependencies to reduce the filing fee. Applicant has also amended the claims to bring them more in line with standard U.S. practice.

The undersigned authorizes the Commissioner to charge fee insufficiency and credit overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 22-0261.

Respectfully submitted,

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